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Applicants: Hideki AKIYAMA et al. Conf: 5566
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Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 17, 2002 (Paper No. 9), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please **rewrite paragraph [0035]** or the specification as follows:

FIG. 3 is a side view of the two-wheeled vehicle including the shock absorbing structure of the present invention, showing an operational state of the two-wheeled vehicle.

Referring to Fig. 3, the upper end (ceiling wall or top wall) 23 of the shock absorbing member 21 is located at such a position that the upper end 23 does not block the forward

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